

Table 118.—Percentage distribution of 4th-graders, by time spent on homework and television viewing each day: 1992 to 2000

Selected characteristics of students	Time spent on homework each day					Amount of television watched each day						
	Don't have	Don't do	Half hour or less	One hour	More than one hour	None	One hour or less	Two hours	Three hours	Four hours	Six or more hours	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1992												
All students	16 (1.6)	2 (0.2)	39 (1.2)	28 (0.9)	15 (0.6)	2 (0.2)	17 (0.8)	21 (0.7)	19 (0.6)	13 (0.6)	9 (0.4)	20 (0.7)
Male	18 (1.8)	3 (0.4)	39 (1.4)	26 (1.0)	14 (0.8)	2 (0.3)	16 (0.8)	20 (0.9)	18 (0.9)	13 (0.7)	9 (0.7)	21 (0.9)
Female	14 (1.5)	1 (0.3)	39 (1.4)	30 (1.1)	16 (0.8)	2 (0.3)	18 (1.2)	22 (0.9)	19 (0.9)	13 (0.8)	8 (0.6)	18 (0.9)
Race/ethnicity												
White	18 (1.9)	2 (0.3)	38 (1.5)	29 (1.2)	13 (0.6)	2 (0.3)	18 (0.9)	23 (1.0)	21 (0.8)	14 (0.7)	9 (0.6)	13 (0.8)
Black	10 (1.6)	3 (0.6)	45 (2.3)	24 (1.5)	18 (1.4)	2 (0.5)	11 (1.5)	11 (1.0)	12 (1.0)	10 (1.1)	9 (1.2)	44 (1.9)
Hispanic	11 (1.7)	4 (0.5)	39 (2.2)	28 (1.7)	18 (1.9)	2 (0.5)	15 (1.2)	20 (1.6)	14 (1.3)	13 (1.2)	9 (1.0)	27 (1.6)
Asian/Pacific Islander	10 (4.5)	1 —	39 (3.4)	28 (4.3)	22 (3.4)	3 (1.3)	26 (3.7)	17 (2.7)	15 (2.8)	11 (1.9)	7 (1.6)	21 (3.2)
American Indian	17 (5.0)	4 (2.4)	31 (5.7)	18 (4.2)	30 (5.7)	1 —	18 (3.8)	13 (3.3)	16 (3.7)	17 (3.3)	11 (3.3)	23 (4.4)
Control of school												
Public	17 (1.7)	2 (0.3)	40 (1.3)	26 (0.9)	14 (0.6)	2 (0.2)	16 (0.8)	21 (0.9)	19 (0.7)	13 (0.7)	9 (0.5)	21 (0.8)
Private	7 (1.8)	1 (0.2)	34 (2.4)	38 (2.2)	21 (1.9)	2 (0.6)	21 (2.3)	24 (1.5)	18 (1.4)	14 (1.1)	9 (1.0)	12 (1.4)
1994												
All students	13 (0.9)	3 (0.3)	39 (1.0)	30 (0.7)	15 (0.6)	2 (0.2)	17 (0.6)	21 (0.6)	17 (0.5)	13 (0.6)	9 (0.4)	21 (0.7)
Male	14 (1.0)	5 (0.5)	39 (1.1)	28 (1.0)	15 (0.7)	2 (0.3)	15 (0.8)	19 (0.8)	16 (0.6)	13 (0.7)	10 (0.6)	25 (0.9)
Female	12 (1.1)	2 (0.2)	40 (1.2)	32 (1.0)	15 (0.8)	2 (0.3)	20 (0.9)	23 (0.8)	17 (0.9)	13 (0.8)	8 (0.6)	17 (0.9)
1998												
All students	8 (0.8)	2 (0.2)	43 (1.0)	31 (0.8)	16 (0.6)	3 (0.5)	21 (0.6)	22 (0.7)	19 (0.6)	11 (0.5)	8 (0.4)	16 (0.6)
Male	9 (1.0)	3 (0.3)	41 (1.1)	30 (1.0)	16 (0.8)	3 (0.5)	18 (0.9)	22 (0.9)	18 (1.0)	12 (0.7)	8 (0.6)	18 (1.0)
Female	7 (0.7)	1 (0.2)	44 (1.2)	32 (1.0)	16 (0.7)	3 (0.5)	24 (0.8)	22 (0.8)	19 (0.7)	10 (0.6)	7 (0.5)	14 (0.7)
Race/ethnicity												
White	9 (1.0)	2 (0.2)	43 (1.2)	32 (1.1)	15 (0.7)	3 (0.7)	23 (0.9)	24 (0.8)	20 (0.8)	12 (0.7)	7 (0.6)	11 (0.8)
Black	6 (0.9)	3 (0.5)	45 (1.9)	27 (1.5)	19 (1.5)	2 (0.5)	14 (1.2)	14 (1.1)	14 (1.2)	11 (0.8)	12 (0.9)	34 (1.5)
Hispanic	7 (1.1)	3 (0.5)	42 (1.9)	30 (1.5)	18 (1.2)	3 (0.5)	21 (1.2)	19 (1.0)	18 (1.2)	11 (0.9)	8 (0.8)	19 (1.0)
Asian/Pacific Islander	4 (1.7)	1 —	39 (3.1)	36 (2.6)	20 (2.3)	4 (1.1)	26 (2.8)	20 (3.0)	16 (2.5)	10 (2.8)	9 (1.9)	14 (2.4)
American Indian	8 (2.2)	7 (2.0)	40 (4.9)	27 (2.8)	19 (3.6)	1 —	19 (3.6)	19 (2.3)	15 (2.6)	8 (2.1)	12 (3.1)	27 (3.4)
2000												
All students	10 (0.9)	2 (0.2)	43 (0.9)	29 (0.6)	16 (0.7)	2 (0.2)	23 (0.7)	23 (0.6)	17 (0.4)	11 (0.5)	6 (0.4)	18 (0.6)
Male	11 (0.9)	3 (0.3)	43 (1.2)	27 (0.8)	16 (0.9)	2 (0.3)	20 (1.1)	21 (0.8)	18 (0.7)	11 (0.6)	7 (0.5)	22 (0.9)
Female	9 (1.0)	1 (0.2)	43 (1.1)	31 (0.9)	16 (0.7)	2 (0.3)	26 (0.9)	24 (0.8)	17 (0.7)	10 (0.6)	6 (0.4)	15 (0.7)
Race/ethnicity												
White	11 (1.1)	1 (0.2)	43 (1.2)	30 (0.8)	15 (0.9)	2 (0.3)	25 (0.9)	25 (0.9)	19 (0.6)	11 (0.6)	6 (0.5)	13 (0.7)
Black	8 (0.9)	4 (0.8)	45 (1.8)	26 (1.3)	17 (1.0)	1 (0.2)	14 (0.9)	13 (1.0)	13 (0.9)	10 (0.9)	8 (0.8)	42 (1.5)
Hispanic	7 (1.0)	3 (0.5)	43 (1.4)	29 (1.3)	18 (1.3)	2 (0.4)	22 (1.2)	21 (1.2)	16 (1.1)	10 (1.0)	7 (0.6)	22 (1.5)
Asian/Pacific Islander	1 (0.7)	1 (0.7)	42 (3.2)	35 (3.2)	21 (3.4)	6 (1.4)	29 (2.7)	28 (3.1)	15 (2.8)	8 (1.6)	7 (1.7)	8 (1.8)
American Indian	15 (4.7)	7 (2.2)	42 (5.4)	24 (4.5)	13 (2.6)	1 —	20 (3.6)	18 (2.2)	21 (3.8)	11 (3.4)	7 (2.2)	23 (3.4)
Control of school												
Public	10 (1.0)	2 (0.2)	44 (1.0)	29 (0.7)	15 (0.7)	2 (0.2)	22 (0.8)	22 (0.7)	17 (0.5)	11 (0.5)	6 (0.4)	19 (0.7)
Private	8 (1.6)	1 (0.4)	37 (1.6)	34 (1.5)	20 (1.7)	5 (1.0)	25 (1.4)	24 (0.9)	19 (0.8)	10 (0.9)	6 (0.7)	11 (1.3)
Type of location												
Central city	8 (1.0)	3 (0.4)	41 (1.4)	30 (1.1)	18 (1.2)	2 (0.4)	21 (0.9)	21 (1.1)	16 (0.6)	10 (0.8)	7 (0.6)	24 (1.3)
Urban fringe/large town	8 (1.3)	2 (0.3)	44 (1.3)	30 (1.2)	16 (1.1)	3 (0.3)	24 (1.3)	24 (1.0)	18 (0.8)	10 (0.7)	6 (0.6)	15 (1.0)
Rural/small town	15 (2.3)	2 (0.5)	44 (2.0)	27 (1.4)	12 (1.2)	2 (0.4)	22 (1.8)	23 (1.4)	19 (1.0)	13 (1.1)	6 (0.7)	16 (1.5)

—Not available.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding. Standard errors appear in parentheses.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, National Assessment of Educational Progress, Main NAEP, National Reading Results, unpublished data, NAEP Data Tool (<http://nces.ed.gov/naep3/NAEP data>). (This table was prepared November 2001.)